



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 4276**
Kazuo SUGAMURA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2001_0572A
Serial No. 09/831,452 : Group Art Unit 1647
Filed July 10, 2001 : Examiner Betty L. Lee
PROTEIN AMSH AND cDNA THEREOF : **Mail Stop: Amendment**

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated June 7, 2005, the period for response having been extended for three months by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

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TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
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